

March 26, 2013

The Honorable Louie Gohmert House of Representatives Washington, DC 20515-4301

Dear Congressman Gohmert:

This is to advise you that the U.S. Postal Service has made a decision to implement the previously approved Area Mail Processing (AMP) consolidation of the destinating processing operations for the Lufkin Customer Service Mail Processing Center (CSMPC) into the North Houston Processing and Distribution Center (P&DC) this year.

The Lufkin CSMPC is 1 of approximately 54 AMP sites for which some or all of the approved AMP consolidation implementation is being moved from our 2014 consolidation list to our 2013 consolidation list. Our dire financial condition requires us to accelerate consolidation of these facilities.

This consolidation action may result in employee reassignments, which will be made in compliance with applicable law, collective bargaining agreements, and the Postal Service's regulations and policies.

Should you have any questions regarding this action, please contact Government Relations Representative Mike Porter at 202-268-7217 for additional information. You may also visit http://about.usps.com/streamlining-operations/area-mail-processing.htm for more information about the Postal Service's AMP study process, including information on the specific Clarksburg West Virginia P&DF AMP consolidation study.

Sincerely,

Ronald A. Stroman